

SUMMARY OF 2021 SENTENCING & RELEASE GUIDELINE REVISIONS

(effective April 15, 2021)

Sections Impacted	Located on Pages:	Functional Revisions	Substantive Revisions
<b>Mandatory Sections of the Guidelines</b>	3, fn 6, fn 7, fn 8, fn 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added information to clarify mandatory provisions of supervision vs. voluntary provisions.</li> </ul>	
<b>Instructions</b>	4, fn 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added clarifying information that the Court and the Board of Pardons and Parole must use the charts to set the initial length of supervision unless a statute requires a shorter length of supervision.</li> </ul>	
<b>Early Termination Review/Risk Reduction</b>	5		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Removed earned compliance credit as an indication of risk reduction.</li> <li>Added time frame for request of termination after completion of treatment and risk reduction.</li> </ul>
<b>Early Termination/Compliance and Stability</b>	5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reorganized compliance and stability list</li> </ul>	
<b>Single Supervision Term</b>	8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clarified that consecutive sentences may increase a limit on probation length</li> </ul>	